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"AND THE SPIRIT AND BRIDE SAY,
COME AND LET HIM THAT HEARETH
SAY, COME AND LET HIM THAT IS
ATHIRST COME AND WHOSOEVER
WILL LET HIM TAKE THE WATER OF
LIFE FREELY."

REV. 22:17

Dear Sirs:

I am writing you concerning Duke Energy's request for a rate increase.

I pastor a church in Greenwood, SC, and our congregation is greatly concerned about this request because of the difficult economic status of our community and state.

All of the members of our church, have had to cut back dramatically financially therefore, Duke's rate increase would cause people to have to choose between medical, food, or the necessities of everyday living. The rate increase would be especially difficult for people on fixed incomes.

We are asking the Public Service Commission of South Carolina to deny Duke Energy's request for a rate increase, at this time.

If the citizens of our town and state must cut back and conserve so should Duke Energy. This is not the time for a rate increase.

Concerning the hearings on this matter there is no way our working people and seniors can get to these meetings.

Thank you,

Yours in Christ,


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Pastor -N.L.B.C.